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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002092821 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21633953 PubMed ID: 11772395
TITLE: The fibroblast growth factor receptor, FGFR3, forms gradients of intact and degraded protein across the growth plate of developing bovine ribs.
AUTHOR: Pandit Sujata G; Govindraj Prasanthi; Sasse Joachim; Neame Peter J; Hassell John R
CORPORATE SOURCE: The Center for Research in Skeletal Development and Pediatric Orthopedics, Shriners Hospital for Children, 12502 North Pine Drive, Tampa, FL 33612, USA.
SOURCE: BIOCHEMICAL JOURNAL, (2002 Jan 15) 361 (Pt 2) 231-41. Journal code: 2984726R. ISSN: 0264-6021.
PUB. COUNTRY: England: United Kingdom
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
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AB Point mutations in the human fibroblast growth factor (**FGF**) receptor 3 gene (Fgfr3) produce a constitutively active receptor, which disrupts chondrocyte differentiation in the growth plate and results in skeletal dysplasias with severe shortening of the limbs. Alternative splicing of the Fgfr3 transcript gives rise to two isoforms, IIIc and IIIB, which vary in their specificity for **FGF** ligands. We examined the expression of these FGFR3 isoforms in the bovine fetal rib growth plate to determine whether levels. . . the pericellular region of reserve chondrocytes and to the extracellular matrix in the hypertrophic zone. These results suggest that the **transmembrane** form of FGFR3 increasingly undergoes proteolytic cleavage towards the hypertrophic zone to produce an extracellular-**domain** fragment of FGFR3, which is present in large amounts in the matrix of hypertrophic cells. These findings suggest a proteolytic regulatory mechanism for FGFR3, whereby Fgfr3 fragments could control availability of **FGF** for the intact receptor, and by which proteolysis could inactivate the receptor.

L7 ANSWER 2 OF 14 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC.
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:493048 BIOSIS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200100493048
TITLE: Nuclear trafficking of FGFR1.
AUTHOR(S): Myers, J. (1); Ostrowski, J. (1); Popescu, G. (1); Stachowiak, M. K. (1)
CORPORATE SOURCE: (1) Pathology and Anatomical Sciences, SUNY at Buffalo, Buffalo, NY USA
SOURCE: Society for Neuroscience Abstracts, (2001) Vol. 27, No. 1, pp. 653. print.
Meeting Info.: 31st Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience San Diego, California, USA November 10-15, 2001
ISSN: 0190-5295.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference
LANGUAGE: English
SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English
AB Several members of the **FGF** family lack signal peptide sequences

and are present only in trace amounts outside the cell. However these proteins contain nuclear localization signals and accumulate in the cell nucleus. Nuclei of different cells contain full-length **FGF receptor 1** that plays a role in gene expression. FGFR1 enters the nucleus via nuclear pores by interacting with importin B. . . . from the ER membrane prior to the nuclear uptake. FGFR1 was tagged with EGFP and its signal peptide (SP) and **transmembrane (TM) domains** were **mutated**. Localization of FGFR1-EGFP in live cells was examined by confocal microscopy. Association of FGFR1 isoforms with subcellular fractions was analyzed. . . . anti-EGFP Ab. Wild type FGFR1 was detected inside and outside the nucleus. The nuclear fraction contained both non- and glycosylated **receptor**. The extranuclear FGFR1 was represented by nonglycosylated (cytosolic) and glycosylated (membrane) isoforms. FGFR1 (SP-) did not undergo glycosylation and was present in the cytosol, the nucleus, but not in the membrane. **Mutations** decreasing TM hydrophobicity accelerated nuclear accumulation of FGFR1, increased soluble and decreased hyperglycosylated FGFR1. Replacement of the FGFR1 TM with that of FGFR4 prevented **receptor** entry into the nucleus and increased membrane association. Conclusions: (1) nonglycosylated nuclear FGFR1 can be produced by translation outside the. . . .

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ER membrane [endoplasmic reticulum membrane]; cytosol; nucleus; ribosome

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EGFP [enhanced green fluorescent protein]; **FGF receptor 1** [fibroblast growth factor **receptor 1**]: glycosylation, localization, **mutation**, signal peptide **domain**, trafficking, translation, **transmembrane domains**

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MEDLINE

DUPLICATE 2

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000513279 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20522289 PubMed ID: 11069376

TITLE: Fibroblast growth factor receptor-2 mutation analysis in human prostate cancer.

AUTHOR: Mehta P; Robson C N; Neal D E; Leung H Y

CORPORATE SOURCE: School of Surgical Sciences, The Medical School, University of Newcastle, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK.

SOURCE: BJU INTERNATIONAL, (2000 Oct) 86 (6) 681-5.

Journal code: 100886721. ISSN: 1464-4096.

PUB. COUNTRY: ENGLAND: United Kingdom

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

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AB OBJECTIVE: To assess whether **mutations** in the hot-spots of the fibroblast growth factor (**FGF**) **receptor-2** gene (FGFR2, exons encoding the IIIa, IIIb, IIIc and **transmembrane domain**, TMD) are associated with the development of prostate cancer, as the IIIb variant is the specific **receptor** for FGF7/KGF, an androgen-inducible paracrine factor regulating prostatic growth. Materials and methods Single-strand conformational polymorphism-polymerase chain reaction (SSCP-PCR) and cycle-sequencing analysis were used to screen FGFR2 **mutations** in 30 patients with prostate cancer; corresponding blood samples were analysed from 11 of the patients. The human prostate cell. . . . 10 foci of invasive cancer from three patients who underwent radical prostatectomy were also assessed. RESULTS: Positive controls containing FGFR2 **mutations** (Crouzon disease and Pfeiffer syndrome) were confirmed by SSCP-PCR and sequencing.

Analysis of all prostate tumour samples and prostate-derived cell lines revealed no polymorphisms or **mutations** in the IIIa, IIIb, IIIc and TMD regions of FGFR2. CONCLUSION: FGFR2 **mutations** in the-**FGF** binding **domain** and the TMD are not frequent events in human prostate cancer.

L7 ANSWER 4 OF 14 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 3
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000492186 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20311085 PubMed ID: 10854038
TITLE: NGF stimulation of erk phosphorylation is impaired by a point mutation in the transmembrane domain of trkA receptor.
AUTHOR: Monshipouri M; Jiang H; Lazarovici P
CORPORATE SOURCE: Patent and Trade Mark Office, US Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231, USA.
SOURCE: JOURNAL OF MOLECULAR NEUROSCIENCE, (2000 Feb-Apr) 14 (1-2) 69-76.
Journal code: 9002991. ISSN: 0895-8696.
PUB. COUNTRY: United States
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
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AB The nerve growth factor (NGF) trkA **receptor** is a **transmembrane** glycoprotein composed of a large extracellular ligand-binding region connected to the cytoplasmic tyrosine kinase region by a single **transmembrane domain** (TMD). To explore the role of TMD in the process of **receptor** activation, we substituted the hydrophobic amino-acid residue valine 432 with the charged amino-acid glutamic acid (designated V432E mutant) by utilizing in vitro site-directed mutagenesis. NIH 3T3 cells lacking endogenous NGF **receptors** were stably transfected with a pRc/CMV vector carrying either wild-type (trkA) or **mutated** (V432E) **receptors**. Stable transfectants were shown, using 125I-NGF binding and Western-blot analysis, to express the trkA recombinant **receptors**. Scatchard analysis revealed similar affinity for NGF in wild-type and V432E **receptors**. Although the level of basal trkA **receptor** tyrosine phosphorylation was higher in the mutant than in the wild-type, NGF stimulation of WT 11 and V432E transfectants resulted in a rapid increase in **receptor** tyrosine phosphorylation and of its intracellular adaptor protein SHC. In contrast to WT 11, V432E mutants showed very low levels of NGF-, and moderate levels of **FGF**-induced erks phosphorylation, respectively. Collectively, these findings suggest that a single substitution (V432E) in the trkA TMD results in a selective. . .

L7 ANSWER 5 OF 14 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:487211 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 131:125450
TITLE: Use of inhibitors for the treatment of disorders related to RTK hyperfunction, especially cancer
INVENTOR(S): Ullrich, Axel; Bange, Johannes; Knyazev, Pjotr
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Max-Planck-Gesellschaft zur Foerderung der Wissenschaften E.V., Germany
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 51 pp.
CODEN: PIXXD2
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: German
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AB Diseases resulting from increased **receptor** tyrosine kinase (RTK) activity, esp. from overexpression and/or altered activity of RTKs, may be triggered particularly by a **mutation** of **FGF receptor 4** (FGFR-4), esp. a point **mutation** in the **transmembrane domain** of FGFR-4 which leads to an exchange of a hydrophobic for a hydrophilic amino acid. Therefore, an inhibitor directed against FGFR-4 can be used for the treatment and/or prevention of cancer or metastasis. Differential diagnosis of cancer, or of a genetic predisposition for cancer, may be carried out by hybridization assay or PCR assay for nucleic acids coding for mutated FGFR-4, or by immunoassay for mutated FGFR-4. Thus, mutant FGFR-4 G388R was found in most breast cancer and neuroblastoma cell lines tested as well as some glioblastoma, uterine cancer, and squamous cell carcinoma cell lines; this mutation correlated well with RTK expression and with a poor long-term prognosis.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:27621 BIOSIS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200000027621
TITLE: Angiopoietin-1 and its receptor Tie-2 participate in the regulation of capillary-like tubule formation and survival of endothelial cells.
AUTHOR(S): Hayes, Andrew J. (1); Huang, Wei-Qun (1); Mallah, Jamie (1); Yang, Dajun (1); Lippman, Marc E. (1); Li, Lu-Yuan (1)
CORPORATE SOURCE: (1) Lombardi Cancer Center, Georgetown University Medical Center, 3970 Reservoir Road, Washington, DC, 20007 USA
SOURCE: Microvascular Research, (Nov., 1999) Vol. 58, No. 3, pp. 224-237.
ISSN: 0026-2862.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Article
LANGUAGE: English
SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB Angiopoietin-1 (Ang-1) and its **receptor** Tie-2, a **transmembrane** tyrosine kinase uniquely expressed by endothelial cells, are shown by null **mutation** studies to be essential to developmental angiogenesis. The phenotypic abnormalities in these knockout animals suggest that Tie-2 signaling is necessary. . . into the collagen gel and form capillary-like tubules. The tubule-forming effect of Ang-1 is similar to the effect caused by **FGF-2**. A soluble form of the Tie-2 extracellular **domain**, in fivefold molar excess,

blocks Ang-1-induced tubule formation. Specific elimination of Tie-2 protein expression in cultured ABAE cells as a . . .

L7 ANSWER 7 OF 14 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:25239 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:177680

TITLE: Effect of transmembrane and kinase domain mutations on fibroblast growth factor receptor 3 chimera signaling in PC12 cells. A model for the control of receptor tyrosine kinase activation

AUTHOR(S): Raffioni, Simona; Zhu, Ya-Zhen; Bradshaw, Ralph A.; Thompson, Leslie M.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Physiology and Biophysics, College of Medicine, University of California, Irvine, CA, 92697, USA

SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (1998), 273(52), 35250-35259

CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258

PUBLISHER: American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

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(biol.; **transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

IT Nerve

(differentiation; **transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

IT Protein motifs

(**kinase domain**; **transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

IT Cell differentiation

(neuronal; **transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

IT Axon

(outgrowth; **transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

IT Phosphorylation, biological

(**receptor**; **transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

IT Signal transduction, biological

(**transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

IT Protein motifs

(**transmembrane domain**; **transmembrane** and **kinase domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

- IT Fibroblast growth factor **receptors**
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP (Properties); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
 (type 3; **transmembrane** and kinase **domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)
- IT Platelet-derived growth factor **receptors**
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
 (.beta., extracellular **domain**, fusion products, with **FGF receptor 3**; **transmembrane** and kinase **domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)
- IT 149146-03-2, Fibroblast growth factor **receptor 3** tyrosine kinase
 RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study); PROC (Process)
 (**transmembrane** and kinase **domain mutations** effect on **FGF receptor 3** chimera signaling in PC12 cells in relation to **receptor** tyrosine kinase activation control)

L7 ANSWER 8 OF 14 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 5
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998226771 MEDLINE
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 98226771 PubMed ID: 9560232
 TITLE: Targeted disruption of fibroblast growth factor (FGF) receptor 2 suggests a role for FGF signaling in pregastrulation mammalian development.
 AUTHOR: Arman E; Haffner-Krausz R; Chen Y; Heath J K; Lonai P
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Molecular Genetics, The Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel 76100, USA.
 SOURCE: PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, (1998 Apr 28) 95 (9) 5082-7. Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.
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AB We disrupted the fibroblast growth factor (**FGF**) **receptor 2** (FGFR2) gene by introducing a neo cassette into the IIIc ligand binding exon and by deleting a genomic DNA fragment encoding its **transmembrane domain** and part of its kinase I **domain**. A recessive embryonic lethal **mutation** was obtained. Preimplantation development was normal until the blastocyst stage. Homozygous mutant embryos died a few hours after implantation at. . . mass and raise the possibility that this activity is mediated by FGF4 signals transmitted by FGFR2. The role of early **FGF** signaling in pregastrulation development as a possible adaptation to mammalian (amniote) embryogenesis is discussed.

L7 ANSWER 9 OF 14 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 6
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 97459672 MEDLINE
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97459672 PubMed ID: 9315632
 TITLE: Enhanced signaling and morphological transformation by a membrane-localized derivative of the fibroblast growth factor receptor 3 kinase domain.
 AUTHOR: Webster M K; Donoghue D J
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry and Center for Molecular Genetics, University of California, San Diego, La

Jolla 92093-0367, USA.
CONTRACT NUMBER: R01 CA40573-11 (NCI)
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SOURCE: MOLECULAR AND CELLULAR BIOLOGY, (1997 Oct) 17 (10) 5739-47.
Journal code: 8109087. ISSN: 0270-7306.
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AB Fibroblast growth factor (**FGF**) **receptors** (FGFRs) are membrane-spanning tyrosine kinase **receptors** that mediate regulatory signals for cell proliferation and differentiation in response to **FGFs**. We have previously determined that the Lys650-->Glu **mutation** in the activation loop of the kinase **domain** of FGFR3, which is responsible for the lethal skeletal dysplasia thanatophoric dysplasia type II (TDII), greatly enhances the ligand-independent kinase activity of the **receptor**. Here, we demonstrate that expression of this construct induces a c-fos promoter construct approximately 10-fold but does not lead to proliferation or morphological transformation of NIH 3T3 cells. In contrast, the isolated kinase **domain** of activated FGFR3, targeted to the plasma membrane by a myristylation signal, is able to stimulate c-fos expression by 40-fold, induce proliferation of quiescent cells, and morphologically transform fibroblasts. This result suggests that the extracellular and **transmembrane domains** of FGFRs exert a negative regulatory influence on the activity of the kinase **domain**. Targeting of the activated kinase **domain** to either the cytoplasm or the nucleus does not significantly affect biological signaling, suggesting that signals from FGFR3 resulting in mitogenesis originate exclusively from the plasma membrane. Furthermore, our novel observation that expression of a highly activated FGFR3 kinase **domain** is able to morphologically transform fibroblasts suggests that dysregulation of FGFR3 has the potential to play a role in human. . .

L7 ANSWER 10 OF 14 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 7
ACCESSION NUMBER: 97282703 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97282703 PubMed ID: 9136983
TITLE: Activation of **FGF receptors** by **mutations** in the **transmembrane domain**.
AUTHOR: Li Y; Mangasarian K; Mansukhani A; Basilico C
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Microbiology and Kaplan Cancer Center, New York University School of Medicine, New York, NY 10016, USA.
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TI Activation of **FGF receptors** by **mutations** in the **transmembrane domain**.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 96421611 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 96421611 PubMed ID: 8824259
 TITLE: Divalent cations and heparin/heparan sulfate cooperate to control assembly and activity of the fibroblast growth factor receptor complex.
 AUTHOR: Kan M; Wang F; To B; Gabriel J L; McKeehan W L
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Center for Cancer Biology and Nutrition, Albert B. Alkek Institute of Biosciences and Technology, Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics, Texas A&M University, Houston, Texas 77030-3303, USA.
 CONTRACT NUMBER: CA59971 (NCI)
 DK35310 (NIDDK)
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AB Polypeptides of the fibroblast growth factor (**FGF**) family are ubiquitous bioregulators within tissues whose activity is controlled by heparan sulfates within the pericellular matrix. **FGF** and the ectodomain of their **transmembrane** tyrosine kinase **receptors** (FGFR) exhibit heparin-binding **domains** that when juxtaposed in a **FGF** middle dotFGFR complex can accommodate a single, potentially bivalent, decameric polysaccharide chain in a ternary complex. Here we show that the interaction of heparin with **FGF** ligands is not affected by divalent cations. In contrast, the high affinity interaction (apparent $K_d = 10$ nM) of heparin. . . FGFR requires Ca^{2+} or Mg^{2+} at physiological concentrations. Divalent cations maintain FGFR in a heparan sulfate-dependent state in respect to **FGF** binding and an **FGF**- and heparan sulfate-dependent state in respect to autophosphorylation. A model is proposed where divalent cations and heparan sulfate cooperate to maintain FGFR in a conformation that restricts trans-phosphorylation between intracellular kinase **domains**. The restriction is overcome by **FGF** or constitutively as a common consequence of diverse **mutations** in FGFR associated with skeletal and craniofacial abnormalities.

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AB The fibroblast growth factor **receptors** (FGFRs) are a family of **receptor** protein tyrosine kinases that have been shown to mediate a variety of cellular processes including angiogenesis, wound healing, tumorigenesis, and embryonic development. Distinct FGFR **mutations** in individuals with autosomal dominant disorders of bone growth and development provide a unique opportunity to determine the function of FGFRs during embryonic development. To determine the consequences of these **mutations** on **receptor** function, we have made **mutations** in Xenopus FGFR1 (XFGFR1) and FGFR2 (XFGFR2) that correspond to several of the **mutations** identified in these dysmorphic syndromes. Analysis of mutant **receptor** proteins expressed in Xenopus oocytes indicates that all but one have elevated tyrosine kinase activity relative to their wild-type counterparts. Those **mutations** that give an unpaired cysteine residue in the extracellular **domain** result in intermolecular disulfide bond formation and covalent **receptor** dimerization. Microinjection of Xenopus embryos with RNA encoding mutant **receptors** with elevated tyrosine kinase activity results in ligand-independent induction of mesoderm in animal pole explants. Wild-type XFGFR1 and XFGFR2 do not induce mesoderm when injected at similar doses. Co-injection of RNA encoding a dominant negative **FGF receptor**, lacking the tyrosine kinase **domain**, together with RNA encoding various activated FGFRs inhibits mesoderm induction by a **receptor** activated by a **transmembrane domain mutation** or extracellular **mutations** that introduce an unpaired cysteine residue into the extracellular **domain** but does not inhibit mesoderm induction by **receptors** bearing a tyrosine kinase **domain mutation**. These results indicate that different point **mutations** may activate FGFRs by distinct mechanisms and that ligand-independent FGFR activation may be a feature in common to many skeletal. . .

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TITLE: Evidence for both tyrosine kinase and G-protein-coupled pathways leading to starfish egg activation.
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AB To investigate possible pathways leading to egg activation at fertilization, the ability of exogenously introduced tyrosine kinase and G-protein-coupled **receptors** to mimic events of fertilization was examined. Oocytes of the starfish *Asterina miniata* were injected with RNA for a chimeric **receptor** consisting of the extracellular **domain** of the beta form of the mouse platelet-derived growth factor (PDGF) **receptor** and the **transmembrane** /intracellular **domain** of the human fibroblast growth factor (**FGF**) **receptor**, or with RNA for the rat serotonin 1c

receptor. These oocytes were cultured for 1 to 3 days and then matured with 1-methyladenine. In response to PDGF or serotonin, . . . synthesis. Some of these artificially activated eggs cleaved, and some of the PDGF-activated eggs were observed to form larvae. A PDGF/**FGF receptor** with a point **mutation** which eliminated its ability to interact with phospholipase C-gamma did not cause fertilization-like responses. Thus components of a signaling pathway involving phospholipase C-gamma, characteristic of tyrosine kinase **receptors**, as well as components of a pathway involving a G-protein and phospholipase C-beta, characteristic of G-protein-coupled **receptors**, appear to be present in starfish eggs. Either or both could function in egg activation at fertilization.

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 TITLE: An essential heparin-binding domain in the fibroblast growth factor receptor kinase.
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AB Heparin or heparin-like heparan sulfate proteoglycans are obligatory for activity of the heparin-binding fibroblast growth factor (**FGF**) family. Heparin interacts independently of **FGF** ligand with a specific sequence (K18K) in one of the immunoglobulin-like loops in the extracellular **domain** of the **FGF receptor** tyrosine kinase **transmembrane** glycoprotein. A synthetic peptide corresponding to K18K inhibited heparin and heparin-dependent **FGF** binding to the **receptor**. K18K and an antibody to K18K were antagonists of **FGF**-stimulated cell growth. Point **mutations** of lysine residues in the K18K sequence abrogated both heparin- and ligand-binding activities of the **receptor** kinase. The results indicate that the **FGF receptor** is a ternary complex of heparan sulfate proteoglycan, tyrosine kinase **transmembrane** glycoprotein, and ligand.